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## REMARKS

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed 05/03/01, Paper No. 15.

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## ELECTION OF GROUP

Applicant elects Group or Invention III, which includes claims 21-24, to be the group to which examination is restricted in the instant application.